

House Resolution No. 3477

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Graham, cherished residents of Maryville, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary with a trip to Hawaii followed by a reception hosted by their children on June 13, 2004, at the First Baptist Church in Maryville; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on June 12, 1954, Scott and Judy Graham began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony officiated by the Reverend Fred Terry in Cameron; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband, Mr. Graham played an integral role in the educational development of several Missouri youngsters as a teacher and coach at Trenton High School from 1961 to 1969, and as a teacher with the University of Missouri Extension Service, from which he retired in 1998; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Mrs. Graham enjoyed her family immensely and showed her special love for them by dutifully caring for her home and remaining supportive of their every endeavor; and

Whereas, Scott and Judy Graham attribute their fifty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to come which include their two children and their spouses, Kathy and Steve Davisson of Stewartsville, and Ken and Carol Graham of Liberty; and their five grandchildren; and

Whereas, throughout their blissful union, Scott and Judy Graham have remained devoted life partners and have put forth a tremendous amount of effort to ensure the sanctity of the vows they took so very long ago:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in a thunderous round of applause for Scott and Judy Graham upon the glorious celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them tremendous peace and contentment as they proudly continue their journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Scott Graham.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3477, adopted June 23, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker